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## Jon Boden

Jon Boden and The Remnant Kings - The Songs from the Floodplain Tour

Deeply resonating folkapocalyptica from the lead-singer of Bellowhead

Boden's voice is... "the most potent weapon of mass seduction to have hit the scene in decades"  
(Stirrings)

Jon Boden's second solo album *Songs from the Floodplain* (released Feb 09) builds on the critical success of 2006's *Painted Lady* in bold style. In it he imagines a rural community surviving in the aftermath of apocalyptic turmoil, coming to terms with what they have lost and confronting the new order, alongside the everyday concerns of love, loss, fear and hope. The subject matter is dark but the songs are surprisingly upbeat, catchy and often uplifting.

For the live show Jon is backed by the remarkable Remnant Kings, who weave the traditional instrumentation of concertina, banjo and fiddle into a post-industrial tapestry of electric guitar, thumping bass and clanging percussion. Songs from the latest album combine with the long awaited live debut of tracks from *Painted Lady*, and occasional traditional rarities.

Jon continues to tour heavily with big band folk phenomenon Bellowhead and the critically lauded Spiers&Boden, so take advantage of this rare opportunity to catch him performing his own remarkable songs, in this revelatory new outfit.

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